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# Hunting Regulations

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Ministry of Natural Resources

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Hunters are among the most active conservationists in Ontario. As we approach the next decade, we must all work together to form an even stronger partnership in managing and conserving our natural resources.

Our global society is facing new environmental, social and economic challenges. Chief among them is the challenge of sustainable development.

In my view, sustainable development means using our resources wisely for the benefit of people today and tomorrow. As the chief steward of land for the people of this province, the Ministry of Natural Resources is at the heart of the discussion on sustainable development and the health of our natural resources.

Hunters, and other conservationists have worked together with my Ministry

to make wildlife programs outstanding.

Our moose, deer, and goose populations are increasing, the wild turkey is back and there is no better place in North America to hunt black bear. Our fur management system, our record of hunter safety and our program of wild-life rabies research all rank among the finest in the world. As well, millions of private and public dollars are spent to save thousands of hectares of valuable wildlife habitat such as wetlands.

We have many accomplishments which we can be proud of, but more needs to be done.

In Ontario, we have the resources, programs, and most importantly, the people, to become a model of conservation – of sustainable development – in not only North America, but the world.

The continuing co-operation between my Ministry and the outdoor enthusiasts of Ontario is essential to ensure that we make our hunting – and natural environment and resources – even more outstanding.

You have my commitment to work toward this goal and I seek yours.

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Vincent G. Kerrio Minister of Natural Resources

#### IMPORTANT NOTE:

This summary is neither a legal document nor a complete collection of the current Regulations. It is prepared for purposes of convenience only. Specific details of the Regulations may be obtained from offices of the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources or by referring to the Game and Fish Act (Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1980, Chapter 182 and the Revised Regulations of Ontario, 1980, as amended).

For accurate description of schedule boundaries and complete details check the Regulations.

# HELP THE MINISTRY COLLECT HARVEST INFORMATION

In a program sponsored jointly by MNR and the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters, you will receive a deer, moose or bear crest in exchange for harvest information and the entire lower jaw of your deer or moose or two premolar teeth from your bear. Jaws and teeth should be turned in at the District Office near the area where the animals were taken or at a game checking station by December 31. Kindly provide your deer, moose or bear licence number and the location where the animal was taken.

In addition to receiving a crest, you will be entitled to enter a draw sponsored by the OFAH for one of the following prizes:

**FIVE MILE** LAKE LODGE Fly-in Moose hunting trip Chapleau

Browning 30.06 rifle

Barnett Archery Wildcat XL Browning **BPS** 12 Gauge Pump

HAY LAKE LODGE Guided hunting trip Shotgun Whitney, Ontario

#### HELP THE MINISTRY COLLECT HIDES FOR NATIVE PEOPLE

You will receive a special cap from the Ministry of Natural Resources in exchange for a suitably prepared deer or moose hide. Hides should be left at the Ministry of Natural Resources District Office near where the kill was made, or at designated collection centres by December 1.

If you wish to participate in this program, treat the hide carefully. Avoid dragging the carcass and avoid making any cuts or nicks in the hide when skinning. Remove as much flesh as possible. Preserve the hide either by freezing or by rubbing coarse salt (1 kg (2 lb) for deer and 2 kg (4 lb) for moose) into the flesh side. Most hides should be salted. Only those to be home-tanned locally should be frozen. Check with the District Office where you plan to turn in the hide. Decay can begin within a few hours, so prompt preservation is necessary. When transporting the hide, use a cardboard box or burlap bag. Do not put the hide in plastic. Even when salted, the hide will decay if no air reaches it.

YOUR CO-OPERATION IS APPRECIATED!

BE SAFE-BE SEEN-WEAR HUNTER ORANGE

# WILD TURKEY

Since being reintroduced in 1984, wild turkey populations have grown large enough to sustain a residents only spring hunt in several WMUs.

Hunters require a valid Ontario licence to hunt small game and a resident's wild turkey validation tag to take part in the hunt. Tags will be distributed by random draw. To apply for the draw, hunters must have a valid 1989-90 licence to hunt small game. Application forms for the draw will be available in late 1989. When applying for the draw, hunters will have a first and second choice. They must select one season and one WMU in which they wish to hunt for each choice. Only one application per hunter may be submitted.

The hunt is restricted to bearded turkeys, a characteristic of male turkeys known as gobblers. The spring bag limit is one wild turkey with a visible beard. After a hunter has bagged a bird, he or she

may call (during the season and in the WMU for which his or her tag is valid) for another hunter. However, successful hunters are not permitted to shoot a second bird. Only shotguns and archery equipment are allowed in the hunt. Shotguns must be no larger than 10 gauge and no smaller than 20 gauge loaded with shot sizes 4, 5, or 6. Longbows or crossbows are permitted and must conform to the same regulations as for deer hunting. The use of decoys is prohibited. A seal will be provided with the wild turkey validation tag. The seal must be filled out and attached to the bird's leg immediately after the wild turkey is taken. Successful hunters must take the intact carcass of the wild turkey to a designated check station between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. on the day of the kill.

For further details contact a District Office in the area of the hunt.

#### SPRING 1990 WILD TURKEY SEASONS

Wildlife Management Unit	Resident Open Season	Spring Bag Limit	Hours	Conditions
68, 71, 77B, 81B, 87B, 90B	May 7-May 12 May 14-May 19	One bearded wild turkey	1/2 h before sunrise-12:00 noon	Controlled hunter numbers; shotguns, bows (a); no decoys; see note (b)

(a) Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows.

(b) Licence to hunt small game must be validated with a Resident's Wild Turkey Validation Tag.

#### **BOATING TIPS FOR HUNTERS**

- In spring and fall when water temperatures are low your chances of survival if you fall overboard
  are considerably reduced. Remain with your boat and try to pull yourself out of the water.
- Don't wear open-top rubber boots or waders. You're sure to sink if you fall overboard. Carry
  a pair of ankle boots to wear in the boat.
- Watch your hunting dog. A rowdy retriever can capsize a boat. Keep your dog quiet and under control.
- . Don't stand up in a small boat. If you want to change places, or if Mother Nature calls go ashore.

See regulations regarding "Aircraft, Snowmobiles, Motor Vehicles or Vessels" on page 3.

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Cheques or money orders should be made payable to the Treasurer of Ontario, and payment must accompany order.

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# SUPPORT YOUR SPORT — BE A PARTNER IN WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT



CWIP volunteers create deer habitat by cutting browse and stimulating new plant growth.

Under the Ministry's Community Wildlife Involvement Program (CWIP) Ontario hunters have tackled hundreds of wildlife management projects. By getting involved, sportsmen are making a contribution to wildlife conservation. By

getting children involved in conservation activities sportsmen are also helping to develop a sense of stewardship in our young people.

Through CWIP, funds are available to cover the cost of equipment and materials for volunteer projects, and MNR will provide advice on management techniques.

Projects that increase the variety and abundance of wildlife and address any of the following three wildlife resource concerns will be considered.

- Loss of wildlife habitat.
- Misconceptions and lack of awareness regarding the needs and management of Ontario's wildlife resource.
- Decreases in recreational opportunities involving wildlife in southern
   Ontario.

Think of the future. Get involved with CWIP

For more information and project application, contact your local Ministry office.

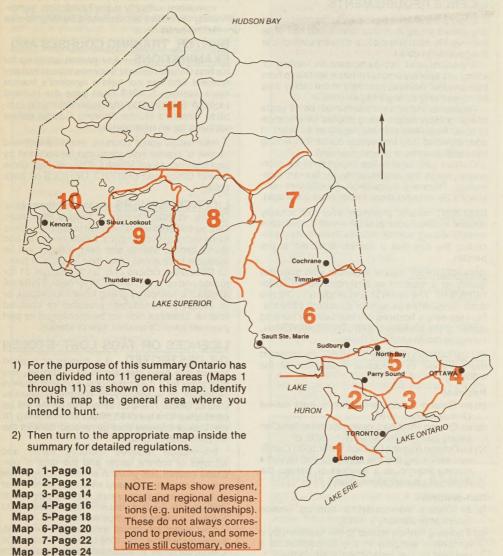
# **HUNTING ETHICS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

AN ETHICAL HUNTER .... ASKS PERMISSION TO HUNT ON PRIVATE PROPERTY

- Get to know the landowner, talk to him/her, understand his/her concerns for fences, livestock and crops.
- Learn where you can hunt, how often and if you can bring companions.
- Hunt only in designated areas and observe safety zones.
- Demonstrate that you are a responsible and ethical hunter by obeying firearm safety rules, game laws and the Regulations.
- Offer to share your game, or to help out with chores.
- · Care for the land, stock, crops and buildings as if they were your own.
- · Don't litter.
- Acquire the skills and knowledge of a responsible hunter by continually improving your marksmanship and your knowledge of wildlife species, field care of game and principles of wildlife management.
- Support conservation efforts and wildlife management programs, and provide an example to broaden public understanding of hunting.
- · Control your dog and stay out of unharvested crops.

# **Guidelines For Use of This Summary**

This summary only lists open seasons. Where no season is listed by Wildlife Management Units in the tables of open seasons following, there is no open season for that species. Check with District Offices for precise boundaries of WMUs before hunting.



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# PROVINCEWIDE REGULATIONS

# **LICENCES**

#### LICENCE REQUIREMENTS

Every person must have a valid licence to hunt any animal or bird and must have it with him while hunting. He must show it to a conservation officer if requested to do so.

A person must not participate in hunting or killing any species unless he has a licence to hunt that species. Animals specified in the tables may be hunted only during an open season.

Residents and non-residents must be 16 years of age or older before being eligible for a licence to hunt. Residents only may apply at 15 years of age, provided they first obtain consent in writing from both parents or a legal quardian.

Contact your local police department for information about the requirements for firearm ownership, Firearms Acquisition Certificates and Minor's Permits (for those under 16 years of age).

**RESIDENT** means a person who has actually resided in Ontario for at least seven consecutive months during the 12 months immediately preceding the day that a licence is issued to the person.

NON-RESIDENT means a person who does not qualify as a resident as described above under RESIDENT. The ownership of property in Ontario does not qualify a person for a resident's licence. Non-resident's licences are not valid for hunting rabbits in the counties of Kent, Lambton or Essex, except in the Township of Pelee.

TO OBTAIN A LICENCE TO HUNT an applicant must present to a licence issuer one of the following:

#### Resident-

(a) an Ontario resident's licence to hunt issued after January 1, 1968;

(b) an Ontario Hunting Licence Examination Certificate issued after January 1, 1968; or

(c) an Ontario Hunting Licence Verification Certificate indicating that the applicant was issued a hunting licence as a resident or passed the Hunting Licence Examination.

#### Non-resident-

- (a) an Ontario non-resident's hunting licence issued after January 1, 1968;
- (b) a hunting licence issued to the applicant by a competent authority in any jurisdiction as a resident of that jurisdiction after January 1, 1968:
- (c) an Ontario Hunting Licence Examination Certificate issued after January 1, 1968;
- (d) an Ontario Hunting Licence Verification Certificate indicating that the applicant was issued an Ontario licence to hunt or passed the Hunting Licence Examination; or

(e) a certificate, issued after January 1, 1968, by a competent authority in any jurisdiction, authorizing the holder to purchase a hunting licence in that jurisdiction.

#### **HUNTER TRAINING COURSES AND**

**EXAMINATIONS** – Any person applying for his first Ontario resident's licence to hunt and any resident who has not held a resident's licence since January 1, 1968 must pass the Hunting Licence Examination. An applicant must complete Ontario's Hunter Training Course before applying for an examination.

Information about courses, examinations and names of course instructors can be obtained by contacting your local Ministry of Natural Resources District Office (see DISTRICT OFFICES on back cover).

LICENCE ISSUERS are located throughout Ontario, at most Ministry of Natural Resources Offices and at other convenient locations such as many sporting goods stores, hardware stores and tourist camps. Moose and deer licences will be available at locations other than Ministry of Natural Resources Offices only up to October 31 for moose and up to November 30 for deer. It is illegal to obtain a licence by giving false information, or to accept an antedated, predated or undated licence. Licences may not be exchanged as part payment towards another type of licence.

#### LICENCES OR TAGS LOST, STOLEN

OR DESTROYED – If a current or expired licence has been lost, stolen or destroyed, you may apply for a duplicate licence or a verification certificate at a Ministry of Natural Resources District Office. A search of records on file will be conducted for a fee of \$5.50 per licence or tag. (If you lose or damage your game seal, contact the Ministry District Office.)

Information required includes name and address of licence issuer and the date of purchase (month and year). A search can be made only of licences purchased within the current year or the previous three years. You are advised to consult the licence issuer where possible to obtain the original licence number.

The above procedure also applies for a lost, stolen or destroyed Hunting Licence Examination Certificate (proof of successful completion of the Ontario Hunting Licence Examination).

LICENCE VALIDITY – The period for which the licence is valid is indicated on the licence. All licences must be signed to be valid. Licence validity or expiry dates do not indicate open season dates. For open seasons see tables and maps in this summary.

For other details on licence validity consult this summary carefully, or contact a District Office.

**TRANSFER OF LICENCES** – No person shall in any way be a party to the transfer of a licence, tag, coupon or seal or use or attempt to use a licence, tag, coupon or seal issued to any other person.

A TOWNSHIP LICENCE is required in addition to a provincial licence if you are hunting pheasants or rabbits in a regulated township (see maps). Hunters should contact the municipal clerk for issuance of township licences and information on firearm restrictions.

# LICENCE AND VALIDATION TAG

(Tags and seals are considered to be part of the licence.)

#### 1. MOOSE LICENCES

- (a) Resident's licence to hunt moose . \$23.00
- (b) Non-resident's licence to hunt moose .....\$200.00

#### 2. DEER LICENCES AND TAGS

- (a) Resident's licence to hunt deer... \$17.50
- (b) Farmer's licence to hunt deer.... \$11.50 This licence will be issued only to those completing an "Application for a Farmer's Licence to Hunt Deer" form provided by licence issuers.
- (c) Non-resident's licence to hunt deer \$80.00
- (d) Archery tag to hunt deer ............\$1.00
  To hunt deer with bows, a deer licence must be validated by an archery tag.

#### 3. BLACK BEAR LICENCES

ATTENTION: NON-RESIDENT BEAR HUNTERS — Non-resident black bear hunting licences are valid only when accompanied by a Black Bear Hunting Licence Validation Certificate. Provided on the Certificate is a report which must be completed and returned by the date indicated (see also CROWN LANDS).

#### 4. SMALL GAME LICENCES AND TAGS

- (a) Licence to hunt small game . . . . . \$5.75 This licence is valid to hunt animals and birds listed on the licence and also to hunt on game bird hunting preserves. This licence is also valid for hunting groundhogs.

The licence to hunt small game must be validated by the raccoon tag to hunt raccoon at night. The hunter must be accompanied by a dog licensed for raccoon

- hunting. The use of a firearm other than a .22 calibre rimfire rifle chambered for .22 short, .22 long, or .22 long rifle is prohibited for hunting raccoon at night. Firearms, while in a vehicle, must be unloaded and encased. It is illegal to use a light attached to, or shone from, a vehicle while hunting raccoon at night.
- (c) Non-resident's small game tag ... \$38.00

  To hunt fox, game birds, rabbits, raccoons and squirrels (other than red squirrel) during the open season from Sept. 1 of the current year, to the last day of Feb. of the following year, and wolf from Sept. 1 of the current year, to June 15 of the following year, a non-resident must have the licence to hunt small game validated by a non-resident's small game tag. This tag is also valid for hunting game birds on a game bird hunting preserve from Sept. 1 of the current year, to August 31 of the following year.
- (d) Non-resident's tag to hunt game birds on a game bird hunting preserve . . . . \$5.50 To hunt game birds on a game bird hunting preserve only, from Sept. 1 of the current year, to Aug. 31 of the following year, a non-resident must have the licence to hunt small game validated by a non-resident's tag to hunt game birds on a game bird hunting preserve.

#### 5. WILD TURKEY TAGS

Resident's Wild Turkey Validation

#### FOR HUNTING MIGRATORY GAME BIRDS

(waterfowl, common snipe and woodcock), in addition to an Ontario licence to hunt small game, a Migratory Game Bird Hunting Permit and a Wildlife Habitat Conservation Stamp are required. These may be purchased at any post office.

#### **EXPORT PERMIT FEES**

Moose—\$25.00 Deer—\$20.00 Bear—\$20.00 (see also EXPORT AND SHIPPING)

# **IMPORTANT REGULATIONS**

ACTS — Game and Fish Act, R.S.O. 1980, c. 182 and Regulations made under this Act are the proper references to the game laws of Ontario Migratory Birds Convention Act—Canada, and the Migratory Birds Regulations, are the references for waterfowl and other migratory birds. Endangered Species Act, R.S.O. 1980, c. 138 and Regulations made under this Act are the references for endangered fauna and flora and their habitats.

AIRCRAFT, SNOWMOBILES, MOTOR VEHICLES or VESSELS must not be used for chasing, pursuing, worrying, molesting, killing,

injuring or destroying any animal or bird. No person shall have a loaded firearm in or on, or discharge a loaded firearm from, an aircraft, vehicle, including snowmobile and all terrain vehicle, or boat with any size motor attached.

AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES—In addition to three snakes protected under the Endangered Species Act, five snakes (queen snake, eastern hognose snake, black rat snake, eastern fox snake and northern water snake) are now protected from being hunted or possessed.

Turtles, with the exception of box turtle, and snapping turtle, found naturally in the wild are also

protected.

Bullfrogs may be taken from July 21 to October 15 under the authority of a licence to take bullfrogs for personal use. Possession limit for bullfrogs is 10. Size restrictions are in effect in the County of Lanark and the Regional Municipality of Ottawa-Carleton. Contact a District Office for more information.

Information on commercial harvest of bullfrogs may be obtained from District Offices.

**ARCHERY**—The bow is considered a firearm (see FIREARMS). To hunt deer with a bow, a deer licence must be validated by an archery tag. See special validation tag requirements for moose under BIG GAME.

**BIG GAME**—A hunter may hold only one licence for deer and one for moose in any year. See FIREARMS for important restrictions.

(a) MOOSE

A resident's licence to hunt moose is valid for hunting calf moose in any WMU that has an open season.

A resident wishing to hunt a bull or cow moose must purchase a moose licence before he or she can enter the moose validation tag draw. An application is provided with the licence. These applications must be received at any District Office or Wildlife Branch, Ministry of Natural Resources, Queen's Park, Toronto M7A 1W3, by 5 p.m., May 15 of the current year. Hunters who applied but were unsuccessful in last year's validation tag draw will be given preference. Eligible applicants will be divided into two pools those who applied but did not get tags last year (Pool 1) and those who did receive a tag or did not apply last year (Pool 2).

For each Wildlife Management Unit (WMU) the computer will first pick from Pool 1. Pool 2 applicants will only be processed if the number of applicants in the first pool does not exceed the number of validation tags available for that WMU.

With this system a hunter who applied last year and was unsuccessful will stand a much better

chance of getting a tag this year.

Each successful applicant will be issued a validation tag which will specify the sex of the adult animal, the WMU from which the animal may be taken and the conditions under which the animal may be taken. A resident who will be a guest of a tourist outfitter at the time of the hunt may obtain a moose validation tag through the

outfitter. A tag issued to a resident in this way will be valid only while that person is registered and actually accommodated at the tourist establishment or at a camp operated by the outfitter.

A non-resident must be a registered quest of a licenced tourist outfitter who has applied for and received, on the non-resident's behalf, a validation tag to hunt a moose. Exceptions are nonresidents who hunt with an immediate relative (grandparent, father, mother, spouse, son, daughter, brother, sister or grandchild) who is an Ontario resident licenced to hunt moose, or non-residents who are property owners in a WMU that has an open season for non-residents. The latter two groups must, however, purchase a Non-resident's Licence to Hunt Moose at the time of applying for a validation tag at a Ministry of Natural Resources District Office. A non-resident property owner can hunt only in the WMU in which the property is located for a bull, cow or calf, depending on the type of validation tag obtained. No moose licence will be issued to a non-resident who is a registered guest of a licenced tourist outfitter unless he presents to an issuer a moose validation tag. A Non-resident's Licence to Hunt Moose is not valid for hunting unless a bull, cow, or calf validation tag provided by the Ministry of Natural Resources is affixed to the licence. A tag issued to a non-resident in this way shall only be used to validate the licence when that person is registered and actually accommodated at the tourist establishment or at a camp operated by the outfitter.

A hunter must affix the tag to the back of his

licence before the hunt.

Bow-hunters may apply, like other hunters, for bull and cow validation tags in the draw. The validation tag for a bull or cow issued to a bow-hunter becomes invalid on the closing day of the special bow season. If they have not killed a moose during the special bow season, they may continue to hunt using any legally permitted firearm during the regular gun hunt, however, their licences will be valid for calves only.

Hunters who obtain validation tags for a bull or cow that are not restricted to the special bow season, may not hunt for an adult animal during the special bow season. They may, however, hunt for calves with a bow provided they comply with

all other legal requirements.

No person shall possess more than one tag at the time of the hunt.

Party hunting for moose is allowed. Any person in a party may take the number of bull moose that is equal to the number of seals held by the members of the party licensed to hunt bull moose.

Similarly, the rule applies when hunting cow or calf in a party. In no case shall the total number of moose taken by the party exceed the total number of seals held by the members of the party licensed to hunt moose.

After an adult moose is taken, the party member whose licence is validated for taking an adult moose must immediately affix his game seal to the animal. Similarly, after a calf moose is taken,

a party member must immediately affix a game seal to the animal.

On a calf moose a seal must be affixed to the complete lower jaw, which may be removed from the head. On a bull or cow moose, the game seal must be attached to the tendon of one of the hind legs to which the scrotal sac or vulva, as shown on the seal, must be attached by the connective tissue. The seal must remain affixed to the animal while it is being transported. (See below.)

A person transporting part of a moose should be prepared to state the name of the hunter who sealed the animal, the hunting licence and validation tag numbers under which the animal was claimed, and the WMU in which it was taken, when requested to do so by an officer.

A calf moose is a moose that is less than one year old at the time of the hunt. A bull moose is a male moose that is at least one year old at the time of the hunt. A cow moose is a female moose that is at least one year old at the time of the hunt.

Moose must not be hunted while they are swimming.

#### (b) DEER

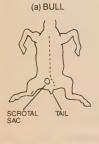
A deer licence is valid only for taking antlered deer that have at least one antler 7.5 cm (3 in.) or longer

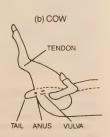
in length, unless there is an antierless deer validation tag, for the management unit indicated on the tag, affixed to the back of the licence. These validation tags are available only to residents of Ontario. Hunters must apply for tags by completing and submitting self-addressed application forms which are furnished to the applicant with a Resident's or Farmer's licence to hunt. These applications must be received at any District Office or Wildlife Branch, Ministry of Natural Resources, Queen's Park, Toronto, M7A 1W3, by 5 p.m., July 31 of the current year. A computerized random draw will determine the successful applicants for each WMU. Archery hunters wishing to hunt antlerless deer in WMUs with bows-only seasons must also submit applications for the antlerless deer tag draw.

Hunters interested in WMUs with controlled hunter numbers should apply to the Ministry of Natural Resources District Office in the area where the hunt is to occur. These applications must be received by 5 p.m., August 31 of the current year. If selected by a random draw, a hunter is required to affix to his licence a controlled deer hunt validation tag which is valid for deer of the sex indicated on the tag. For information on controlled hunts, contact the Ministry of Natural

#### TAGGING OF MOOSE

As part of the Selective Harvest Program, validation tags are issued for a specific age and sex of animal. The hunter, therefore, is required to provide evidence of the age and sex of any moose that he kills.





Then attach the seal to the tendon of the hind leg, (c), to which the scrotal sac or vulva is attached. Note the location of the tendon, in illustration (b). The seal can be protected by slicing the hide, inserting the seal and wrapping with tape.

(c) BULL OR COW



In the case of the bull or cow moose, cut to one side of the scrotal sac or vulva when opening the animal for gutting — as shown above with the dotted line in illustration (a) and (b). Leave the scrotal sac or vulva attached by connective tissue.

For calves, the seal must be attached to the lower jaw, (d), which must be kept whole (i.e. the two sides must not be separated). No proof of sex for calves is required. The lower jaw may be removed from the head as long as it is kept whole.

Resources District Office in the area where the hunt is to occur.

Each hunter who receives a validation tag for deer for a controlled hunting unit will also receive a questionnaire concerning the hunt. The completed questionnaire is required by law to be returned to the Ministry of Natural Resources District Office indicated on the questionnaire on or before the 14th day following the closing day of the hunt of the current year. Hunters who fail to return the questionnaire will not be eligible for a controlled hunt validation tag the following year.

If hunting with a group (party) of two or more licensed hunters, any member of the group may kill the number of antlered deer equal to the number of valid licences held by the members of the group. In no case shall the total number of deer killed exceed the number of licences held by the members of the group. Once a deer has been killed, the game seal must immediately be affixed and locked through the cartilage separating the nostrils, as described on the seal. This must be done at the site of the kill. Only the hunter whose licence is validated for antlerless deer may kill and seal an antlerless deer. The hunter may then continue to hunt antlered deer with his group (party).

The hunter whose game seal is on a deer must transport at least the head of that animal with the game seal affixed. A person transporting part of a deer should be prepared to state the name of the hunter who sealed the animal, the hunting licence number under which the animal was claimed and the WMU in which the animal was killed, when

requested to do so by an officer.

Deer must not be hunted while they are swimming.

#### (c) BLACK BEAR

No person shall take or kill more than one black bear under a licence to hunt black bear. Once a bear has been killed, a hunter must immediately affix the game seal to the carcass as described on the seal.

In an area where there is an open season for deer or moose during that time, a hunter wishing to hunt bear must have a valid deer or moose licence in his possession in addition to his bear licence. This does not apply to a bear hunter hunting in a WMU having a bows-only season during that open season for deer or moose. Black bear hunters may continue to hunt bear after they have shot a deer or moose.

Hunters are prohibited in the spring bear season from shooting cubs born in the year of the hunt and females accompanied by such cubs.

Shooting of bears is prohibited on Crown land within 400 m (440 yd) of a waste disposal site.

Use of dogs in the spring bear season is restricted. See Big Game Open Season tables.

Non-residents hunting black bear are required to use the guiding or baiting services of a tourist establishment or a commercial guide in all parts of Ontario with an open bear hunting season. Non-resident black bear hunters must obtain a Black Bear Hunting Licence Validation Certificate from

a tourist operator to validate a non-resident Black Bear Hunting Licence. Exceptions are non-residents who hunt with an immediate relative who is an Ontario resident licenced to hunt bear, or non-residents who are property owners in a WMU that has a black bear open season for non-residents. These two groups must obtain a Licence Validation Certificate at a Ministry of Natural Resources District Office. (Non-residents see also ATTENTION: NON-RESIDENT BEAR HUNTERS under LICENCE AND VALIDATION TAG FEES.)

As of 1989 non-resident and resident hunters using the hunting services of a commercial bear operator must hunt on the Black Bear Management Area(s) (BMAs) assigned to their operator, or on private land for which the operator has obtained permission. Resident hunters not using commercial hunting services are not restricted to BMAs and may hunt anywhere on Crown land or on private land with owner's permission.

**BIRDS**—Any person hunting birds is required to have a valid licence. Wild turkeys, pheasant, ruffed grouse, sharp-tailed grouse, spruce grouse, ptarmigan, Hungarian partridge and bobwhite quail may be hunted and possessed in such numbers and during such times as indicated in the open season tables.

All other birds, except crows, cowbirds, black-birds, starlings and house sparrows, must not be taken at any time. Hunting of migratory game birds is governed by the Migratory Birds Convention Act and the Regulations. Migratory game birds may be taken under a Migratory Game Bird Hunting Permit and a Wildlife Habitat Conservation Stamp in addition to an Ontario licence to hunt small game.

It is an offence to interfere with eggs and nests

of birds.

Hunting of pheasants with a rifle is prohibited. Game bird hunting preserves, operated under a licence from the Ministry of Natural Resources, provide an opportunity to hunt pheasant, bobwhite quail and wild turkey throughout the year according to arrangements made between the owner and the hunter. A licence to hunt small game is required.

It is a serious offence to shoot eagles, hawks or owls or to interfere with their eggs or nests.

#### (a) WILD TURKEYS-SEE PAGE ii

**CROWN LANDS**—In Ontario, travel for recreational purposes on Crown lands and waters is generally free and unrestricted. The exceptions are restricted-travel zones for forest fire prevention, officially closed forest-access roads, and areas posted with signs to prohibit all or certain modes of travel.

All hunters are reminded that some Crown lands may be posted against hunting to protect workers where timber or other operations are in progress. Such posting must be obeyed.

<u>DOGS</u> must be licensed if they are to be used to hunt deer or moose, but there is no limit on the number of dogs which may be used. In the closed

season, dogs must not be permitted to run at large in an area inhabited by deer, moose, elk or bear.

Dogs brought in solely for hunting purposes may be entered into Canada without security as part of the Tourist Outfitter's and Sportsmen's equipment when completing the necessary Customs forms. A dog entering Canada from the United States must be accompanied by a certificate, signed by a veterinarian licensed in Canada or the United States, and certifying that the dog has been vaccinated against rabies during the preceeding 36 months. Such certificate must carry a reasonably complete and legible description of the dog and the date of the vaccination.

A letter of authority issued from a Ministry of Natural Resources District Office is required to conduct dog training and field trials on game animals and game birds during the closed

season.

A hunter, when hunting for raccoon at night, must be accompanied by a dog licensed for raccoon hunting. A resident's tag to hunt raccoon at night is also required.

**ELK AND CARIBOU**—There is no open season for elk or caribou in Ontario.

ENDANGERED SPECIES—The following species are protected under the Endangered Species Act: bald eagle, blue racer, Eskimo curlew, golden eagle, Kirtland's warbler, Lake Erie water snake, eastern cougar, peregrine falcon, piping plover, small white lady's slipper orchid, timber rattlesnake, West Virginia white butterfly, white pelican, small whorled pogonia orchid, large whorled pogonia orchid, cucumber tree, prickly pear cactus and heart-leaved plantain.

**EXPORT AND SHIPPING**—Non-residents may export from Ontario game birds and game animals legally killed under the appropriate licence by producing a valid hunting licence for those species. A CITES permit, which may be obtained from most Ministry of Natural Resources Offices free of charge, is required to export a timber wolf from Canada. In some countries, importation of timber wolves is restricted; therefore, requirements for importation should be ascertained.

An export permit is required for the export from Ontario of moose, deer and bear or any parts thereof.

An export permit may be obtained from most Ministry of Natural Resources offices in the area where the animal has been taken.

An export permit should be obtained prior to reaching border points to avoid inconvenience. A non-resident may obtain an export permit upon payment of a fee (see EXPORT PERMIT FEES). No fee is required for a resident's export permit.

Upon the issue of an export permit for moose, deer or bear, additional permits are available at no extra charge for the exportation of a part or parts of the animal for which an export permit has been issued. There is a limit of three additional permits for this purpose.

Receptacles containing game which is being shipped or transported to points inside or outside Ontario must bear on the outside the names and addresses of the consignee and consignor, and a list of the contents.

**FIREARMS** include air or pellet guns, longbows and crossbows. A rifle of greater calibre than .275, except a flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading gun, is prohibited for hunting under a licence to hunt small game in the following counties or regions: Brant, Elgin, Essex, Huron, Kent, Lambton, Middlesex, Northumberland, Oxford, Perth and Wellington; and the regional municipalities of Durham, Haldimand-Norfolk, Halton, Hamilton-Wentworth, Niagara, Peel, Waterloo and York.

Semi-automatic or self-loading firearms are permitted.

Revolvers, pistols and fully automatic weapons are not to be used for hunting in Ontario.

Semi-automatic or repeating shotguns must be plugged so that they will not hold more than a total of three shells in the chamber and magazine.

A firearm is considered to be loaded if it has a cartridge in the chamber, or in the magazine which is attached to the firearm.

Firearms must not be discharged from or across any highway or road in any county designated in the Regulations or from or across the **travelled** portion in any area not designated.

It is contrary to the Regulations for a person

- (a) to carry or use a rifle of greater calibre or projectile power than the rifle known as a .22 calibre rim-fire rifle, or
- (b) to have, while hunting with a shotgun, in his gun or on his person any shotgun shells loaded with a single projectile or with shot larger than number two,

in an area and at a time during which there is an open season for deer, unless that person holds a licence to hunt deer and unless the open season for deer in that area applies to the class of licence to hunt deer that the person holds, i.e. resident's or non-resident's licence.

The foregoing applies similarly in an area and at a time with respect to an open season for moose.

When a deer season and a moose season are open in the same area and at the same time the foregoing prohibitions (a) and (b) do not apply provided a person has either a valid deer licence or a valid moose licence but not necessarily both.

Where there is a bows-only season for deer, in a part of Ontario lying south of the French and Mattawa Rivers, the holder of a licence to hunt small game is exempt from the above prohibitions (a) and (b) provided that there is an open season for small game.

The use of a rim-fire rifle, a shotgun smaller than 20 gauge when loaded with shot, or any shotgun loaded with shot smaller than SG or number 1 buck is prohibited for hunting bear, deer or moose.

- (a) to use a crossbow having a draw length less than 30 cm (12 in) or
- (b) to use a crossbow which has a draw weight less than 45 kg (99 lb) when hunting deer or less than 54 kg (119 lb) when hunting moose and bear or
- (c) to use a longbow, including compound and recurve bows, which has a draw weight less than 18 kg (40 lb) when hunting deer or less than 22 kg (49 lb) when hunting moose and bear or
- (d) to use any arrow (longbow) or bolt (crossbow) that is not equipped with a head that has at least two sharp, unserrated, barbless, steel, straight-cutting edges or a head that is less than 22 mm (0.9 in) at the widest point or any arrow that is less than 60 cm (24 in) in length, when hunting deer, moose and bear.

From September 1 to December 15 and from April 15 to June 15, no hunter shall use a shotgun loaded with ball or with shot larger than number 2 shot, or a rifle of greater calibre or projectile power than a rifle known as the .22 calibre rim-fire rifle, in the area known as the Aulneau Peninsula. The calibre limitations do not apply to a flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading gun.

Shotguns, rifles or other firearms in your possession must be unloaded and encased in places which game inhabits or may be shot, from one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise. "Encased" means securely enclosed in a manner whereby the firearm is not readily accessible.

Some townships have by-laws restricting the discharge of firearms. Check with the Township Office for details.

FUR-BEARING ANIMALS—Badger, beaver, bobcat, fisher, lynx, marten, mink, muskrat, opossum, otter, red squirrel and wolverine are fur-bearing animals which may not be taken except under a licence to trap.

Wolf, coyote, fox, raccoon, skunk and weasel are fur-bearers which may be taken on a hunting licence. The pelts of these must be stamped (sealed) by an officer before being offered for sale or sent to a tanner or taxidermist, and royalty must be paid on all wolf, coyote, fox and raccoon before they can be accepted by a tanner or taxidermist, as prescribed in the Regulations. An Export Permit must be obtained to send or take fur-bearing animals from Ontario.

Wolf, Coyote	Open Seasons all Ontario	all year
_		Oct. 15 - Dec. 31
Raccoon	all Ontario	in any year
Fox	Part of Ontario lying north of French and Mattawa Rivers	Oct. 25-the last day of Feb. of the next year
	Remainder of Ontario	all year

**GAME MEAT**—It is an offence to permit the flesh of any animal or bird, which is suitable for food, to be destroyed or spoiled.

It is illegal to buy, sell or barter any game animal or bird. However, meat sold under the authority of a Licence to Sell the Meat of Muskrat, Beaver, Raccoon or Bear may be possessed or bought for a person's own use without a licence.

GAME PRESERVES—Except as provided in the Regulations, hunting and trapping are not permitted and firearms must not be used or possessed in Crown Game Preserves. Firearms may be possessed by a person who resides on private land or Crown land held under a licence within a Crown Game Preserve, but hunting and trapping are not permitted. There are Crown Game Preserves other than those shown on the maps.

**GUIDES**—No person may act as a guide in any part of Ontario specified in the Regulations unless he possesses a valid guide's licence. This licence is not issued to a non-resident. At present, the Territorial District of Rainy River and Lake St. Clair are the only areas so designated.

Non-residents must be accompanied by one licensed guide for each two hunters when hunting deer or moose in the Territorial District of Rainy River. In other parts of Ontario, the use of local guides is not mandatory but will greatly improve hunting success.

**HUNTING** includes chasing, pursuing, following after or on the trail of, searching for, shooting, shooting at, stalking or lying in wait for, worrying, molesting, taking or destroying any animal or bird. To participate in any of the above a hunting licence is required, except as provided under the Game and Fish Act and the Regulations.

No person shall hunt between a half hour after sunset and a half hour before sunrise except as otherwise provided. Hunters should check local sunrise-sunset schedules accordingly.

Hunting carelessly is an offence and hunters who discharge firearms without due care and attention, or consideration for persons and property, are liable to a fine of not more than \$5 thousand or to imprisonment or both.

It is an offence to hire or offer a reward to any person to hunt game for you.

HUNTING ON SUNDAY—No person shall carry or discharge a firearm for the purpose of hunting on Sunday in

- (a) any county except the County of Renfrew (except the Township of Raglan), the County of Prescott and Russell, and the Township of Haldimand in the County of Northumberland;
- (b) any regional municipality lying south of the French and Mattawa rivers;
- (c) the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto; or
- (d) the territorial districts of Muskoka and Parry Sound and that part of the Territorial District of

Nipissing comprising the geographic townships of Boulter and Chisholm and the parts of the geographic townships of Ballantyne, Butt, Finlayson, McCraney and Paxton lying west of the western boundary of Algonquin Provincial Park.

This regulation does not apply to a licensed game bird hunting preserve or to the use of longbows or crossbows.

HUNTING SERVICES — Information on guides, fly-in services, tourist camp operators and outfitters may be obtained from local Chambers of Commerce and the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation.

OFFICERS—An officer may, without a search warrant:

- (1) stop, enter and search any aircraft, vehicle or vessel;
- (2) enter and search any fishing, hunting, mining, lumber or construction camp or any office of any common carrier; and
- (3) open and inspect any trunk, box, bag, parcel or receptacle

if he has reasonable grounds for believing that any of the above contain game or fish taken, shipped or possessed in contravention of the Game and Fish Act and Regulations, the Migratory Birds Convention Act and Regulations, or the Ontario Fishery Regulations.

An officer has the authority to request information about hunting and fishing.

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**PERMISSION TO HUNT**—A hunting licence does not give hunters the right to enter private lands. Ask for permission and obey signs (see TRESPASS).

**POISON** – Poison must never be used for taking wild animals. The practice is illegal.

**POSTED LAND**—Please observe duly authorized signs prohibiting or restricting hunting on that land (see TRESPASS).

PROVINCIAL PARKS—Hunting in Provincial Parks is prohibited unless otherwise provided in the Regulations. See Maps for location of Provincial Parks and large Crown Game Preserves. Check with the appropriate Ministry of Natural Resources District Office (see also WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS and GAME PRESERVES).

Unless provided in the Regulations, no person shall possess a firearm in a Provincial Park. Check with the local Ministry of Natural Resources Office.

ROAD KILLS AND OTHER ANIMALS, INCLUDING BIRDS, FOUND DEAD BY NATURAL AND OTHER ACCIDENTAL CAUSES may now be taken into possession by people. Such finds are to be reported to the local District Office of the Ministry. In the cases of black bear, moose, and deer, such report must be made immediately. In the cases

of other species, the report must be made within two working days of the acquisition. Anyone who comes into the possession of an eagle, falcon, hawk, owl or vulture in this way must take the carcass to the District Office for inspection within five working days of the acquisition.

**SNARES**—The use of snares by licensed hunters is prohibited **except** for the taking of rabbits north of the French and Mattawa Rivers with a snare specified in the Regulations.

**TRAPPING** may be carried out only under a trapping licence. A summary of the Ontario Regulations which apply to trapping and fur dealing is available upon request.

TRESPASS—Hunters should familiarize themselves with the Occupiers' Liability Act, R.S.O. 1980, c.322 and the Trespass to Property Act, R.S.O. 1980, c.511 before entering on private land. A booklet which explains the two Acts, and which outlines the rights of individuals, and the duties that individuals controlling land and those entering on private land owe to each other, is available from the Ontario Ministry of the Attorney General.

You are also violating the Game and Fish Act if the landowner asks you to leave and you do not do so immediately, or if you do not obey signs prohibiting hunting and fishing.

No person in a party of more than 12 persons shall hunt upon any enclosed or unenclosed lands in any county or regional municipality without permission of the landowner.

Before hunting on Indian reserves, obtain the permission of the Band Council.

While hunting deer on Barrie Island or Manitoulin Island, a hunter is required to have in his possession a valid deer licence which has attached to it, in a form furnished by the Ministry of Natural Resources, the consent of the landowner on whose land the licensee is hunting. (See PERMISSION TO HUNT and POSTED LAND).

#### WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT UNITS

(WMUs) as indicated on the maps, have been established for the province to aid wildlife management. Their numbers are used in the tables for open seasons. Exact descriptions of boundaries are available at Ministry District Offices.



Wildlife			
Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER	Shotguns and M	/luzzle-loaders(b)-No Dogs	
85A, B, & C	Nov. 6-Nov. 9	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; see note(c)
90A, 90B, 91A, 91B	Nov. 6-Nov. 9 Dec. 4-Dec. 7	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; see note(c)
92A, B, C & D	Nov. 6-Nov. 9 Dec. 4-Dec. 7	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; muzzle-loading guns only (no shotguns); see note(c)
93A, 93B	Dec. 4-Dec. 7	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; see note(c)
	Bows <sup>(8</sup>	Only-No Dogs	
85A, B, & C	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 31	No Season	
90A, 90B, 91A, 91B, 92A, 92B, 92C, 92D	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 3 Dec. 8-Dec. 31	No Season	
86, 94A	Oct. 15-Dec. 31	No Season	
93A, 93B	Oct. 15-Dec. 3 Dec. 8-Dec. 31	No Season	

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

PHEASANT  85, 86  90, 91, 92  93  94	Sep. 25-Dec. 15 Oct. 18-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to
90, 91, 92 93 94	•		No Limit	1/2 hour before suprise to
93	Oct 18-Dec 15		140 Ellilli	½ hour after sunset
94	000. 10-000. 10	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
	Oct. 25-Dec. 15	3, one hen limit	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
95	Oct. 25-Oct. 28	2 cocks	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
	Oct. 26, 27, Nov. 2, 3 & Nov. 9, 10	6 cocks & 4 hens	6 cocks & 4 hens	8 AM-5 PM
	Jan. 1-Feb. 28	3 cocks & 2 hens	3 cocks & . 2 hens	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
RUFFED GROUSE AND SPRU	ICE GROUSE			
85, 86, 90, 91, 92	Sep. 25-Jan. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
93	Oct. 25-Jan. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE				
90	Oct. 18-Dec. 15	8	16	
BOBWHITE QUAIL				
92	Oct. 25-Nov. 7	3	6	
RABBITS AND HARES: Europ	ean Hare, Cottontail Rabbi	t, Varying (Si	nowshoe) Hare	
85, 86	Sep. 25-Feb. 28	6 of each	No Limit	
90, 91, 92	Oct. 18-Feb. 28	6 of each	No Limit	
93, 94	Oct. 25-Feb. 28	6 of each	No Limit	
95	Jan. 1-Feb. 28	6 of each	No Limit	
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black, and	Fox Squirrel Only			
85, 86, 90, 91, 92			40	
93, 94	Sep. 25 - Dec. 15	5	10	
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, I	Oct. 25-Nov. 7	5	10	

#### NOTES

<sup>b</sup> Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

c Licence must be validated; Deer Hunters should contact appropriate District Office for further details. WMU 85 — Wingham District Office; WMU 90 — Simcoe District Office; WMU 91 & 92 — Alymer District Office; WMU 93 — Chatham District Office.

Township licence required to Provincial or hunt pheasant and rabbit. National Park. Wildlife Management Ministry District Office. Area. See page 9 for further WMA information See page 30 and 32 for further Waterfowl information NORTHERN REGION Resident's Licence to hunt Small Game Valid from Sept. 1 to June 15 of the following year. 100 Kilometres PARRY **GEORGIAN** SOUND ST. EDMINDS BAY LINDSAY Bracebrid USKOKA (DM) KE EASTNOR Town of Gravenhurst ALBEMARLE ATCHEDASH DALTON Penetanguishene Wiarton Midland TAY ORILLIA / RAMA TINY KEPPEL CARDE Meaford ORILLIA HURON AMABEL T. VINCENT Wasaga Beach SYDENHA Southampton SIMCOE ORO LAKE VICTORIA Port Elgin ARRAN FUPHRASIA VESPRA BARRIE HOLLAND SIMOOE SULLIVAN GREY ELDERSLIE Chesle 16-Sutton OSPRE BRUCE GLENELG ARTEMESIA GEORGINA ESSA BRANT BENTINCK KINCARDINE Durham Kincardine Hanover Gwillimbury Walterton HURON PROTO EWMARKET EGREMON CARRICA NORMANB DUFFERIN DURHAM (RM) Kirby Whitchurch CULROSS AMARANTH Orangeville NEWCASTLE YORK (RM) MARKHAM Maple HILL VAUGHAM MINTO ARTHUR Palme CALEDON METROPOLITAN PEEL (RM) gus ERIN TORONTO HALTON REALPY GREY Stowel HURON BUELPH HALTON ELMA RERTH ELLESLEY WOOLWICH MISSISSAUGA WATERLOO WATERLOO PUSLING MILTON (RM) EASTHOP TRATFORD S. EASTHOPE FLAMBOROUS HAMILTON-Dunda Niagara on the Lake SOUTHERN REGION BLENHEIM Ancaster (RM) Resident's Licence to hunt Small Game Lincoln Valid from Sept. 1 to Aug. 31 of the ONONDAGE NIAGARA NIAGARA FALLS following year. HALDIMAND-NORFOLK (RIL) of STOWN OF MAINTEET Haldiman Dunaville . S . A . FORT ERIE Port Colhorne ST. THOMAS LAKE ERIE

Wildlife			
Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER	Rifles, Shotguns, Bows(a)	and Muzzle-loaders(b)-No	Dogs
76B, C & D, 77, 78A, 78B, 79A, 79C, 79D, 80, 81, 87B, 87C, 87D	Nov. 6-Nov. 9	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; shotguns & muzzle-loading guns; see note(c)
76A	Nov. 6-Nov. 9	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; rifles, shotguns, muzzle-loading guns; see note(c)
83	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	
83	Dec. 4-Dec. 7	Dec. 4-Dec. 7	Muzzle-loading guns only
82, 84	Nov. 6-Nov. 10	Nov. 6-Nov. 10	
89	Nov. 6-Nov. 9 Dec. 4-Dec. 7	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; shotguns & muzzle-loading guns; see note(c)
	Bows <sup>(a)</sup>	Only-No Dogs	
83	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 15	No Season	
76, 77, 78A & B, 79A, C & D, 80, 81, 87B, C & D	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 31	No Season	
82, 84	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 11-Dec. 15	No Season	
89	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 3 Dec. 8-Dec. 31	No Season	
78C, D & E, 79B, 87A & E, 88	Oct. 15-Dec. 31	No Season	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns, Bo	ws(a) and Muzzle-loaders(	b)
76	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs
83	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-June 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
		May 16-June 15	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
76, 77, 81, 82, 83, 84	Sep. 25-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
78	Oct. 11 - Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	8 AM to ½ hour after sunset
88	Oct. 25-Nov. 4	3 cocks	No Limit	8 AM to ½ hour after sunset
79, 80, 87	Oct. 18-Dec. 15	3, one hen limit	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
89	Oct. 18-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
RUFFED GROUSE AND SPE	RUCE GROUSE			
76 to 84, 87 to 89	Sep. 25-Jan. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE				
76	Oct. 21 - Oct. 27	8	16	
88, 89	Sep. 25 - Nov. 11	8	16	
87	Oct. 18-Dec. 15	8	16	

#### RABBITS AND HARES, SQUIRREL OPEN SEASONS-SEE P. 33

NOTES

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Licence must be validated; Deer Hunters should contact appropriate District Office for further details. WMU 76-77, 81 — Huronia District Office, Midhurst, Ontario; WMU 79, 87 — Cambridge District Office; WMU 89 — Niagara District Office, Fonthill, Ontario

Township licence required to Provincial or hunt pheasant and rabbit. National Park. Wildlife Management Ministry District Office. Area. See page 9 for further WMA information See page 30 and 32 for further Waterfowl information WMU UNITS 56, 60A, 61, 71, 72 NORTHERN REGION OTTAWA SOUTHERN REGION AKE NIPISSING NORTH BAY QUEBEC Scale **ALGONQUIN PROVINCIAL PARK** 20 40 58 Miles SOUTHERN REGION NOTE: All of former Dudley and Dysart Twps. Resident's Licence to hunt Small Game and parts of former Harburn and Guilford Twps. are in WMU 56. Former Harcourt Twp. Valid from Sept. 1 to Aug. 31 of the is in WMU 57. Part of former Laxton Twp. is in following year. WMU 75. Check with Minden District Office. BRUDENEL "Central District for Waterfowl" AND LYNDOCH DYSART, BRUTON, CLYDE MUSKOKA (DM) DUDLEY, EYRE, GUILFORD, CARLOW, RAGLAN Madawa HARBURN. MONTEAGLE HARCOUR HERSCHEL DENBIGH, ABINGER MAYO LENNO AND Bancron ANSON. AND HAVELOCK Town of Wilberforce MINGANNON ASHBY HALIBURTON 648 CARDIFF FAMADAY Bracebridge HINDON AND Tory Hill GEORGIA Inden GLAMORGAN MONMOUTH LIMERICK AXTON. WOLLASTON HASTINGS DIGBY AND LUTTERWORTH 500 CHANDOS TUDOR ELZEVIR AND AND DALTON LONGFORD AND EFFINGHAM KENNEBED Norland CAVENDISH CASHEL RAMA BELMO GRIMSTHORPE BAY OMERVILLE Burleigh HARVEY \ Fall MADOC DUMMER HAVE S NORTH WAS NO MARA Actinolite ORILLIA LAKE OE BARRIE TYENDINAGA RROCK "Southern District for Waterfow!" SIDNEY BELL renton MELIASBURGH Kirby NEWMARKET DURHAM (RM) Cobourg Port Hope RICHMOND HILL NEWCAS' PICK OSHAWA METROPOLITAN PICKERING TORONTO ONTARIO BRAMPTON. LAKE MISSISSAUGA · CAMBRIDGE HAMILTON U.S.A. ST. CATHARINES

Wildlife	D. III.		• ""
Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER		Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
56, 60A, 61	Nov. 6 - Nov. 18	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	
74	Nov. 6 - Nov. 11	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	
71	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	No Season	Shotguns only; no dogs
72A, 73, 75	Nov. 6-Nov. 9	No Season	Shotguns and muzzle-loading guns only; no dogs
	Bows	s(a) Only-No Dogs	
60A	Oct. 15-Nov. 5	Oct. 15-Nov. 5	
61	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Dec. 15	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Dec. 15	
72A	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 31	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 31	
72B	Oct. 15-Dec. 31	Oct. 15-Dec. 31	
71, 74	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 31	No Season	
73, 75	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 10-Dec. 31	No Season	
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
56, 60A, 61	Oct. 16-Oct. 21	No Season	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
60A	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs
61	Sep. 1 - Nov. 30 Apr. 15 - June 15	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
		May 16-June 15	No dogs
56, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-June 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
		May 16-June 15	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
56, 61	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	3 of	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to
60A, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75	Sep. 25-Dec. 15	either sex	NO LITTLE	1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE	AND PTARMIGAN			
56	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
60A, 71	Sep. 25 - Dec. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
61	Sep. 20-Dec. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SE	PRUCE GROUSE			
56	Sep. 20 - Dec. 15			
60A, 71	Sep. 25 - Dec. 31	Aggregate	Aggregate	
61	Sep. 20-Dec. 31	of 5	of 15	
72, 73, 74, 75	Sep. 25-Jan. 15			
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE				
56, 61	Sep. 20 - Nov. 11	8	16	
60A, 71 to 75	Sep. 25 - Nov. 11	8	16	
WILD TURKEY-see page i	i			
RABBITS, SQUIRREL-see	p. 23			
WOLF COYOTE BACCOO	N. FOX see Fur-bearing A	nimals (p. 8)		

NOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, FOX see Fur-bearing Animals (p. 8)

#### NOTES

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles



Township licence required to hunt pheasant and rabbit.

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See page 9 for further WMA information See page 30 and 32 for further Waterfowl information

Wildlife Management



Wildlife	DIG GAME	OF LIT SLA	30113
Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-loade	ers(b)
58, 59, 62, 63	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	
64, 66A, 67, 68	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	
65	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Bows, shotguns and muzzle- loading guns only; no dogs
69B	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Nov. 6-Nov. 11	Bows, shotguns, muzzle-loading guns only
		s(a) Only-No Dogs	
62	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Dec. 15	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Dec. 15	
58, 59, 63	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Nov. 30	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 19-Nov. 30	
64	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Nov. 30	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Nov. 30	
65, 66A, 67	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 15	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 15	
66B	Nov. 6-Nov. 12	Nov. 6-Nov. 12	
68	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 31	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 31	
69A	Oct. 15-Dec. 31	Oct. 15 - Dec. 31	
69B	Oct. 15-Nov. 5 Nov. 12-Dec. 15	No Season	
MOOSE		Bows(a) and Muzzle-loade	ers(b)
58, 59, 62, 63	Oct. 16-Oct. 21	No Season	
BLACK BEAR		Bows(a) and Muzzle-loade	ers(b)
58, 59	Sep. 15 - Nov. 30 Apr. 15 - May 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs
62, 63, 68	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-June 15	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
		May 16-June 15	No dogs
64, 65, 66, 67, 69A, 69B, 70	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-June 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
		May 16-June 15	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
58, 59, 62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	3 of	No. Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25-Dec. 15	either sex	No Limit	½ hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE A	ND PTARMIGAN	1		
58, 59	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Dec. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25-Dec. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SPE	RUCE GROUSE			
58, 59	Sep. 20 - Dec. 15		A ========	
62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Dec. 31	– of 5	Aggregate of 15	
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25-Dec. 31		01 10	
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE				
58, 59, 62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Nov. 11	8	16	
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25-Nov. 11	8	16	
BOBWHITE QUAIL				
65	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	3	6	
WILD TURKEY-see page ii				
RABBITS, SQUIRREL-see p	. 25			
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON	, FOX see Fur-bearing Anim	als (p. 8)		

Township licence required to Provincial or hunt pheasant and rabbit. National Park. Wildlife Management Ministry District Office. Area. See page 9 for further WMA information See page 30 and 32 for further Waterfowl information 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53A, 53B, 54, 55 NORTHERN REGION Resident's Licence to hunt Small Game Valid from Sept. 1 to June 15 of the following year. Scale 100 Kilometres "Northern District for Waterfowl" QUEBEC **NORTHERN REGION** "Central Distri SOUTHERN REGION OTTAWA LAKE NIPISSI CALVIN PAPINEAU ERRIS BONFIELD CLARA PATTERSON POWASSAN CHISHOLM BOULTER WILKES NIPISSING DEACON EDGAR HIMSWORTH WI HARDY McCONKEY PROVINCIA NIVEN BIGGAR ALGONQUIN ANGLIN FALIRIE MACHAR BROWN MAGNETAWAN DICKSON FERRIE BOWER, GE WARRISON BURTON PARK, CLANCY McLAUGHLIN -CROFT HUNTER DICKEN ANCHIPELAGO BURPEE HAGERMAN CANISBAY SPROULE RYERSON MURCHISON PARRY SHAWANAGA FERGUSON MCKELLA SOUND RENFREW BAY BRUDENELL PERI TOWNSHIP SHERBORNE SABINE TOWNSHIP Huntsvj **GEORGIAN** VSART MRUTON, CLYDE DIFY FYRE GUILEDRO CARLOW HALIBURTON HARRONN, HARBE ARCHIPELAGO MUSKOKA (DM) HASTINGS MAYO AND HAVELOCK TOWNSHIP Bancroft ANSON,

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NOTE: All of former Dudley and Dysart Twps. and parts of former Harburn and Guilford Twps. are in WMU 56. Check with Minden District Office. Former Lawrence and Nightingale Twps. are in WMU 51. Check with Algonquin Park District Office.

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Wildlife	JIG GAME	OI LIT OLA	00110
Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER	Rifles, Shotguns	s, Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
46, 47, 48, 49, 50 53A, 54, 55A, 55B, 57	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	
53B	Nov. 6-Nov. 9	No Season	Controlled hunter numbers; shotguns, muzzle-loading guns; no dogs; see note(c)
	Bow	vs <sup>(a)</sup> Only-No Dogs	
47, 53A	Nov. 20-Dec. 2	Nov. 20-Dec. 2	
48, 57	Oct. 15 - Nov. 5	Oct. 15-Nov. 5	
55A, 55B	Nov. 19-Dec. 20	Nov. 19-Dec. 20	
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotguns	s, Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Oct. 16-Oct. 21	No Season	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns	s, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
46, 47, 49, 50, 53A, 53B, 54, 55, 57	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 15-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs
48	Sep. 1-Nov. 30 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 1 - Nov. 30 Apr. 15 - May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

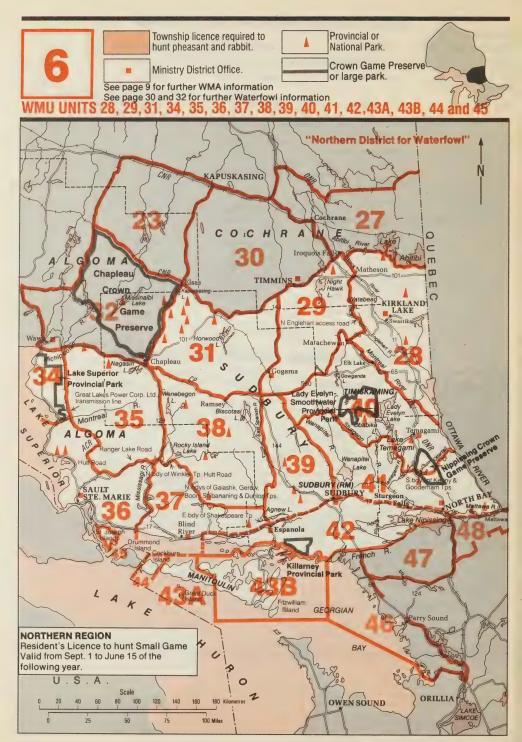
Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE AN	D PTARMIGAN			
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SPR	UCE GROUSE			
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE	services and the services and the services are services as the services are se			
55, 57	Sep. 20-Nov. 11	8	16	
RABBITS AND HARES: Euro	pean Hare, Cottontail Rabbi	t, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Sep.1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 European limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black, and	Fox Squirrel Only			
46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 53A & B, 54, 55, 57	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	10		10
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, FOX see Fur-bearing Animals (p. 8)				

#### NOTES

<sup>a</sup> Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles

c Licence must be validated; Deer Hunters should contact appropriate District Office for further details. WMU 53B – Bracebridge District Office

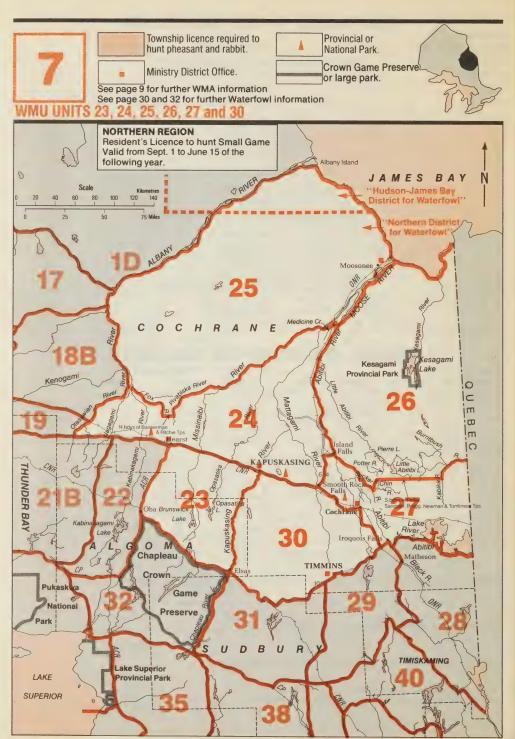


Wildlife Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
DEER		, Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(D)
36, 37, 38	Nov. 6 - Nov. 18	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	
39, 41, 42	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	No Season	
43A & B	Nov. 20-Nov. 24	Nov. 20-Nov. 24	Landowner's permission requirement; no dogs
44 .	Nov. 6-Nov. 18	No Season	No dogs
45	Nov. 6-Nov. 10	Nov. 6-Nov. 10	No dogs
	Bow	s <sup>(a)</sup> Only-No Dogs	
37	Oct. 21 - Nov. 5	Oct. 21 - Nov. 5	
42	Oct. 7-Nov. 3	Oct. 7-Nov. 3	
43A & B	Oct. 7-Nov. 12	Oct. 7-Nov. 12	Landowner's permission requirement
45	Oct. 28-Nov. 3	Oct. 28-Nov. 3	
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotguns	, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
28, 29, 31, 34, 35, 36 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42	Oct. 7-Nov. 15	Oct. 9-Nov. 15	
45	Oct. 9-Oct. 11	No Season	
		Bows(a) Only	
29, 38	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns	, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-load	ers(b)
29 20 21 24 to 45	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15	Sep. 1-Oct. 15	
28, 29, 31, 34 to 45	Apr. 15 - May 15	Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs

## SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS

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Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
	Open Season	Cillin	CIIIII	riouis
PHEASANT				
28, 29, 31, 34 to 41, 45	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
42, 43A & B, 44	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE A	AND PTARMIGAN			
34 to 39, 41, 45	Sep. 15 - Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
28, 29, 31, 40	Sep. 15-Mar. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
42, 43A & B, 44	Sep. 20 - Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SP	RUCE GROUSE			
34 to 41, 45	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
28, 29, 31	Sep. 15-Dec. 31	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
42, 43A & B, 44	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
RABBITS AND HARES: Eu	ropean Hare, Cottontail Rabl	bit, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
28, 29, 31, 34 to 45	Sep.1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 Europear limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black, ar	nd Fox Squirrel Only			
36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 45	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	10	10	
42, 43A & B, 44	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	10	10	
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOOL	N, FOX see Fur-bearing Anim	nals (p. 8)		

Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows
 Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles



Wildlife Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotgun	s, Bows(a) and Muzzle-loade	ers(b)
25	Sep. 16-Dec. 15	Sep. 18-Nov. 15	
23, 24, 27, 30	Oct. 7-Nov. 15	Oct. 9-Nov. 15	
26	Sep. 23-Oct. 31	Sep. 25 - Oct. 31	
		Bows(a) Only	
23	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotgun	s, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-loade	rs(b)
23, 24, 27, 30	Sep. 1-Oct. 15 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 1-Oct. 15 Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs
25, 26	Sep. 1-Oct. 15 Apr. 15-May 15	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15 Apr. 15 - May 15	
	May 16-June 30	May 16-June 30	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
	Open Season	LIIIIR	Lillint	Hours
PHEASANT				
23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE	AND PTARMIGAN			
23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30	Sep. 15-Mar. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND S	PRUCE GROUSE			
23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30	Sep. 15-Dec. 31	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
RABBITS AND HARES: E	uropean Hare, Cottontail Ra	bbit, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
		6 Cottontail	Rabbit;	
23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30	Sep. 1-June 15	6 European limit on Var		No Limit
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOC	N. FOX, see Fur-bearing A	nimals (p. 8)		

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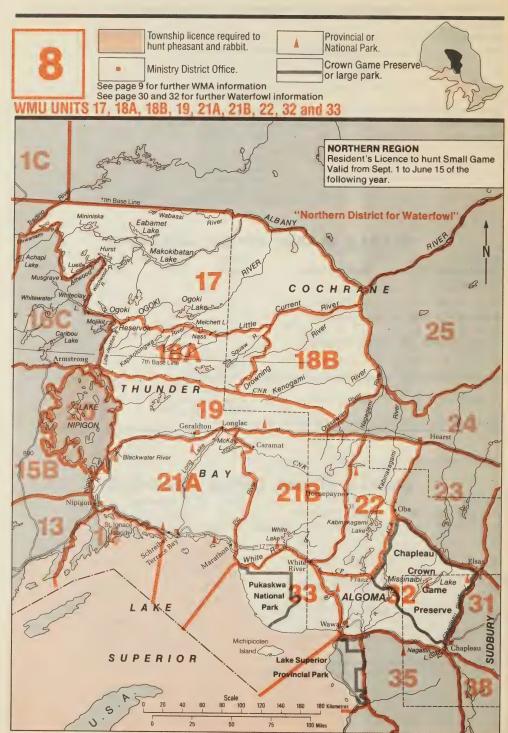
## **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season		Possession _imit	Hours	
RABBITS AND HARES: Eu	ropean Hare, Cottontail R	abbit, Varying (Sno	wshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit	
72, 73	Sep. 25-Feb. 28	6 of each		No Limit	
56	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail R 6 European H Iimit on Varyir	lare; no	No Limit	
60A, 71, 74, 75	Sep. 25 - Mar. 31	6 of each		No Limit	
61	Sep. 20-Mar. 31	6 of each		No Limit	
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black, at	nd Fox Squirrel Only				
56, 61	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	10		10	
60A, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75	Sep. 25 - Dec. 15	5		10	

NOTES

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles



Wildlife Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident Conditions	
DEER	Rifles, Shotgun	s, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-loaders <sup>(b)</sup>	
21A	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	No Season	
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotgun	s, Bows(a) and Muzzle-loaders(b)	
17, 18B	Sep. 16-Dec. 15	Sep. 18-Nov. 15	
18A, 19, 21A & B	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	Oct. 9-Nov. 15	
22, 32, 33	Oct. 7-Nov. 15	Oct. 9-Nov. 15	
		Bows <sup>(a)</sup> Only	
18A, 19, 21A, 21B	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotgun	s, Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-loaders <sup>(b)</sup>	
17, 18A & B, 19,	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15	Sep. 1-Oct. 15	
21A & B, 22, 32, 33	Apr. 15-May 15	Apr. 15-May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15 No dogs	

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
17, 18A & B, 19, 21A & B, 22, 32, 33	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE A	AND PTARMIGAN			
19, 21A & B, 32, 33	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
17, 18A & B, 22	Sep. 15-Mar. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SP	RUCE GROUSE			
17, 18A & B, 19, 21A & B, 32, 33	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
22	Sep. 15-Dec. 31	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
RABBITS AND HARES: Eu	ropean Hare, Cottontail Ra	bbit, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
17, 18A & B, 19, 21A & B, 22, 32, 33	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 European limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOOM	N. FOX see Fur-bearing Ar	imals (p. 8)		

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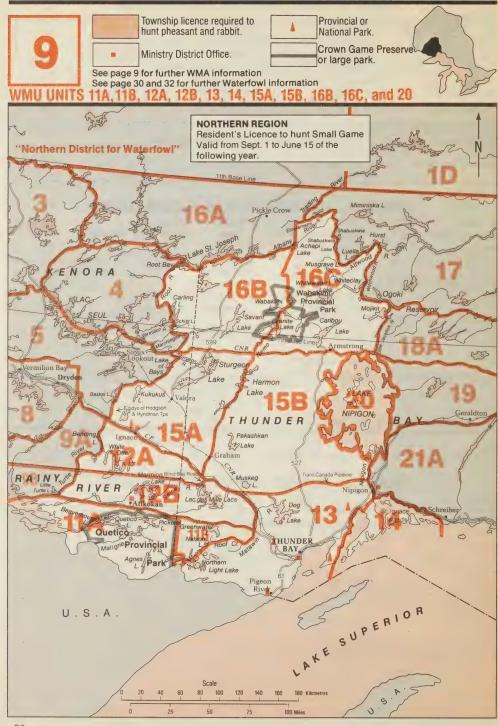
# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	
RABBITS AND HARES: I	European Hare, Cott	ontail Rabbit, Varying (Snowsh	oe) Hare	
58, 59	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail Rabbit; 6 European Hare; no limit on Varying hare	No Limit	
62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Mar. 31	6 of each	No Limit	
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25 - Mar. 31	6 of each	No Limit	
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black,	and Fox Squirrel Or	nly		
58, 59, 62 to 67, 69B	Sep. 20-Dec. 15	10	10	
68, 69A, 70	Sep. 25-Dec. 15	5	10	

NOTES

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles



Wildlife Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions		
DEER		Bows(a) and Muzzle-load			
11A .	Sep. 23-Oct. 6	Sep. 23-Oct. 6	Non-Resident Guide Requirement; Bows and Muzzle-Loading Guns Only; No Dogs (see GUIDES)		
11A	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	Oct. 7-Nov. 15	Non-Resident Guide Requirement (see GUIDES)		
11B, 12A, 12B, 13, 14	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	No Season			
	Bows <sup>(a)</sup> Only-No Dogs				
14	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	No Season			
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)		
16B & C	Sep. 16-Dec. 15	Sep. 18-Nov. 15			
12A, 15A & B	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	Oct. 9-Nov. 15			
11A, 11B, 12B, 13, 14	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	No Season			
		Bows <sup>(a)</sup> Only			
12B, 13, 14	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	No Season			
12A, 15A, 15B	Sep. 16-Oct. 6	Sep. 16-Oct. 6			
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	ers(b)		
11A, 11B, 12A & B, 13, 14, 15A, 15B, 16B, 16C	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15 Apr. 15 - May 15	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15 Apr. 15 - May 15			
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs		

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
11A, 11B, 12A & B, 13, 14 15, 16B, 16C, 20	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE AN	D PTARMIGAN			
11A, 11B, 12A & B, 13, 14, 15, 16B, 16C, 20	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND SPRI	JCE GROUSE			
11A, 11B, 12A & B, 13, 14, 15, 16B, 16C, 20	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
HUNGARIAN PARTRIDGE				
13	Sep. 15-Nov. 11	8	16	
RABBITS AND HARES: Euro	pean Hare, Cottontail Rabbi	t, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
11A, 11B, 12A & B, 13, 14, 15, 16B, 16C, 20	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 European limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit

#### NOTES

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, FOX see Fur-bearing Animals (p. 8)

# Before You Strike, Remember.

- 1. Select a safe place on bedrock or mineral soil, near water, away from logs, brush and roots.
- 2. Remove flammable material three feet from the edge of the fire.
- 3. Keep fire small and contained. NEVER leave fire unattended.
- 4. Drown it **DEAD OUT** before leaving the site.

# **Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires**

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles

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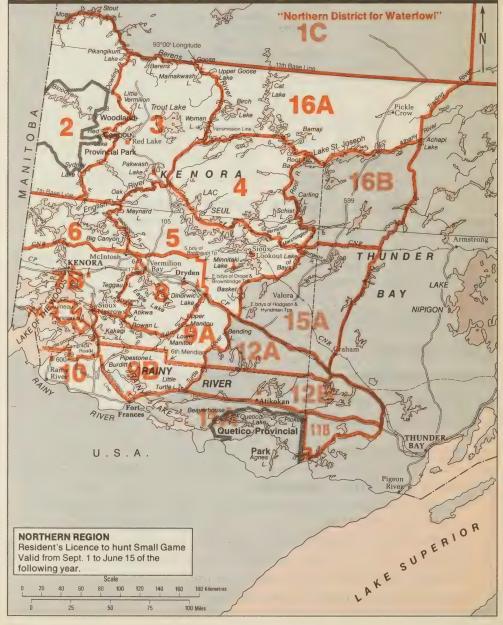
Provincial or National Park.

Crown Game Preserve or large park.

Ministry District Office.

See page 9 for further WMA information

See page 30 and 32 for further Waterfowl information **S 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7A, 7B, 8, 9A, 9B, 10 and 16A** 



Management Unit   Resident   Non-Resident   Conditions	Wildlife	JIG GAME	JI LIII OLA	
TA	Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
Cot. 7-Dec. 15	DEER	Rifles, Shotguns, E	Bows <sup>(a)</sup> and Muzzle-loade	rs(b)
6, 7B, 9A, 9B Oct. 7-Dec. 15 Oct. 7-Nov. 15 in part of 7B and all of 9B, (see GUIDES) Non-Resident Guide Requirement; in part of 7B and all of 9B, bows and muzzle-loading guns only; no dogs  Nov. 11-Dec. 15 No Season No Dogs  Non-resident Guide Requirement; in part of 7B and all of 9B, bows and muzzle-loading guns only; no dogs  Bows(a) Only-No Dogs  6, 7B, 9A, 9B Sep. 16-Sep. 29 Sep. 16-Sep. 29 Sep. 16-Sep. 29 Non-resident Guide requirement (see GUIDES); no dogs  8 Oct. 1-Nov. 10 No Season  Oct. 1-Nov. 10 No Season  Non-resident Guide requirement (see GUIDES)  Rifles, Shotguns, Bows(a) and Muzzle-loaders(b)  Rifles, Shotguns, Bows(a) and Muzzle-loaders(b)  Regulation of the part of 7B and all of 9B, (see GUIDES)  Non-resident Guide requirement (see GUIDES)  Non-resident Guid	7A	Oct. 7-Dec. 15	Oct. 7-Nov. 15	
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	16A			
			May 16-June 15	No dogs

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife		Daily	Possession	
Management Unit	Open Season	Limit	Limit	Hours
PHEASANT				
2 to 10, 16A	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	3 of either sex	No Limit	1/2 hour before sunrise to 1/2 hour after sunset
SHARP TAILED GROUSE	AND PTARMIGAN			
2 to 10, 16A	Sep. 15 - Dec. 15	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND S	PRUCE GROUSE			
2 to 10, 16A	Sep. 15-Dec. 15	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
RABBITS AND HARES: E	uropean Hare, Cottontail Ra	bbit, Varying (S	nowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
2 to 10, 16A	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 European limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit

WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, FOX see Fur-bearing Animals (p. 8)

NOTE

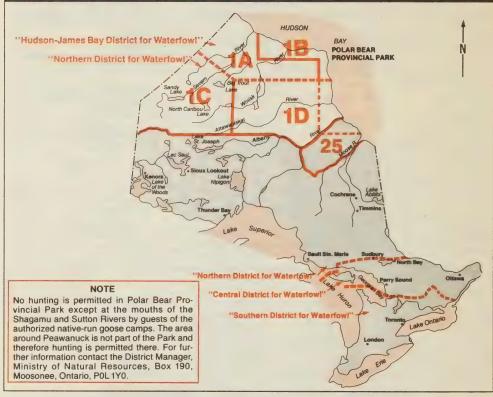
a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles





## WMU UNITS 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D and Waterfowl Districts



# **BIG GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Resident	Non-Resident	Conditions
MOOSE	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	lers(b)
1A & C & D	Sep. 16-Dec. 15	Sep. 18-Nov. 15	
BLACK BEAR	Rifles, Shotguns,	Bows(a) and Muzzle-load	lers(b)
1A, 1C, 1D	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15 Apr. 15 - May 15	Sep. 1 - Oct. 15 Apr. 15 - May 15	
	May 16-June 15	May 16-June 15	No dogs

#### NOTES

a Bows include longbows, compound bows and crossbows

b Muzzle-loading guns include flintlock or percussion cap muzzle-loading rifles

### SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season	Daily Limit	Possession Limit	Hours
SHARP TAILED GROUSE	AND PTARMIGAN			
1A & B & C & D	Sep. 5-Mar. 31	5 of each	15 of each	
RUFFED GROUSE AND S	PRUCE GROUSE			7000 4 1000
1A & B & C & D	Sep. 5-Dec. 31	Aggregate of 5	Aggregate of 15	
RABBITS AND HARES: E	uropean Hare, Cottontail R	abbit, Varying (S	inowshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit
1A & B & C & D	Sep. 1-June 15	6 Cottontail 6 European limit on Var	Hare; no	No Limit

WATERFOWL SEASONS

NOTE: These seasons are tentative-before hunting please check Migratory Birds Regulations (Federal).

DISTRICT

#### **OPEN SEASON**

	Ducks, Rails, (other than King Rails) Coots, Gallinules and Snipe	Geese (including Brant)	Woodcock
Hudson-James Bay District	Sep. 5-Dec. 15	Sep. 5-Dec. 15	Sep. 5-Dec. 15
Northern District	Sep. 15-Dec. 20	Sep. 15-Dec. 20	Sep. 15-Dec. 20
Central District	Sep. 20-Dec. 20	Sep. 20-Dec. 20	Sep. 20-Dec. 20
Southern District	Sep. 25-Dec. 20	Sep. 25-Dec. 31 & Jan. 15-Jan. 20 (WMU 94: No Season Jan. 15-20)	Sep. 25-Dec. 20

Waterfowl seasons subject to the following:

WOLF, COYOTE, RACCOON, FOX see Fur-bearing Animals (p. 8)

- 1. (a) "HUDSON-JAMES BAY DISTRICT" means that part of Ontario comprising Wildlife Management Units 1A and 1B and those portions of 1D and 25 lying east of longitude 83° 45′ and north of latitude 51° 50′.
  - (b) "NORTHERN DISTRICT" means that part of Ontario comprising Wildlife Management Units IC, those portions of 1D and 25 lying west of longitude 83° 45' and south of latitude 51° 50', 2 to 24 inclusive, 26 to 41 inclusive, and 45.
  - (c) "CENTRAL DISTRICT" means that part of Ontario comprising Wildlife Management Units 42 to 44 inclusive, 46 to 50 inclusive, 53 to 59 inclusive, 61 to 67 inclusive and 69B, and:
  - (d) "SOUTHERN DISTRICT" means that part of Ontario comprising Wildlife Management Units 60A, 68, 69A, and 70 to 95 inclusive.

2. In the Southern District there are no open seasons for geese in:

that portion of the Township of Camden East in the County of Lennox and Addington described as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the westerly limit of County Road No. 4 and the road from Centreville to Enterprise; thence southerly a distance of 3.058 km to the main travelled road to Moscow; thence easterly, a distance of 6.759 km to the road running northwesterly between the east and west halves of Lot 41, Concession V; thence northwesterly a distance of .966 km to the former Napanee Tamworth and Quebec Railway right-of-way; thence northwesterly a distance of 5.150 km to the road running southerly from Enterprise to Centreville; thence southeasterly, a distance of 7.564 km to the place of commencement;

- The open seasons do not apply to the following areas:
  - (a) that portion of the Township of Norfolk in the Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk shown as the Big Creek National Wildlife Area and shown as Part 1 on the designated Plan R.17 deposited in the Registry Division of Norfolk
  - (b) that portion of the Township of Dover West in the County of Kent consisting of lots 1 to 3 inclusive in the Fourth Concession of the said Township of Dover West
  - (c) that portion of Lake St. Clair, Rondeau Bay in the County of Kent and that portion of Long Point Bay on Lake Erie that lies westerly of a line extending from the confluence of the waters of Lake Erie with the waters of Cottage Creek across the most westerly extremity of Whitefish Bar Island to the intersection with the southerly shore of Turkey Point, situated beyond 300 metres from the shore or a natural rush bed or a water line that forms a boundary of private property
- (d) that portion of the St. Lawrence River within the Lake St. Francis and the islands contained therein, lying between the easterly boundary of the dam at the site of the Robert H. Saunders Generating Station and Point St. Louis and the Interprovincial Boundary between Ontario and Quebec. situated beyond 300 metres from the shore of the mainland or of any island contained within the said area or from any natural rush bed or a water line that forms a boundary of private property; and
- (e) that portion of the Township of Norfolk in the Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfoldk described as follows:

The east quarter of Lot 7 and the west half of Lot 8 extending south of Regional Road number 42 to the adjacent northern boundary of the Long Point Conservation Authority Marsh described in instrument number 359664 deposited in the Registry Division of Norfolk

#### DAILY AND POSSESSION LIMITS FOR WATERFOWL IN ONTARIO

NOTE: Red-breasted, American and hooded mergansers must be included in Daily and Possession Limits for ducks.

Limits	Ducks	Geese (including Brant)	Rails (Other than King Rails)	Coots, Gallinules or Snipe	Woodcock
Daily Bag	6(a) (c) (e)	5	10	10(g)	8 16
Possession	12(b) (d) (f)	10	20	20(h)	

- (a) except that not more than one black duck may be taken daily in Central District and Southern District, and, not more than two black ducks may be taken daily in Hudson-James Bay District and Northern District
- (b) except that not more than four black ducks may be possessed
- (c) except that not more than one canvasback may be taken daily (d) except that not more than two canvasbacks may be possessed
- (e) except that not more than two redhead ducks may be taken daily
- (f) except that not more than four redhead ducks may be possessed
- (g) the daily bag limit applies to each species separately
- (h) the possession limit applies to each species separately

Migratory Birds Regulations can be obtained by writing Director General, Canadian Wildlife Service, Environment Canada, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0E7

### HUNTING AND PHYSICAL FITNESS

Be wise and have a complete medical and eye examination before the hunting season. Get in Shape! Know your limitations and adjust your hunting habits to compensate for them. Have a safe and healthy hunt.

### ATTENTION HUNTERS

If you legally kill any animal that is carrying ear tags, a radio collar or any other marking or scientific device, please report the details as soon as possible to the nearest Ministry of Natural Resources Office. There is no truth to any rumor that a hunter will be penalized in any way for killing such an animal. On the contrary, the information that you supply by returning the devices will contribute to the collection of valuable information on the animals being studied and is much appreciated by the Ministry of Natural Resources.

# **WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS**

Wildlife Extension Landowner Agreement Area / Provincial Wildlife Area

There are 34 Provincial Wildlife and Wildlife Extension Landowner Agreement Areas in southern Ontario which provide hunting. Some areas have daily or seasonal licence fees while others do not charge. Some areas are only open on certain days of the week and for special hours and species. Detailed information on each area can be obtained from Ministry District Offices.

#### MAP 1

- 1. Stag Island (WMU 93)
- 2. Rondeau (Prov. Park) (WMU 93)
- 3. Fingal (WMU 92) 4. Aylmer (WMU 92)
- 5. Calton Swamp (WMU 92)
- 6. Vansittart Woods (WMU 91)
- 7. Lockhart Ponds (WMU 91)
- 8. Long Point (WMU 90)
- 9. Waterford Lakes (WMU 90)
- 10. Hullet (WMU 85)

#### MAP 2

- 11. Tiny Marsh (WMU 76)
- 13. Matchedash Bay (WMU 76)
- Copeland Forest Resources Management Area (WMU 76)
- 15. Holland Marsh (WMU 77)
- 16. Sibbald Pt. (Prov. Park) (WMU 78)
- 17. Luther Marsh (WMU 80)
- 18. Orangeville (WMU 81)

- 21. Rankin (WMU 83)
- 22. Puslinch (WMU 87)
- 23. Beverly Swamp (WMU 87) 24. Valens Lake (WMU 87)
- 25. Binbrook (WMU 87)
- 26. Mud Lake (WMU 89) 27. Willoughby Swamp (WMU 89)

#### MAP 3

- 28. Presqu'ile (Prov. Park) (WMU 71)
- 29. Brighton (WMU 71)
- 30. Darlington (Prov. Park) (WMU 72) 31. Nonquon (WMU 73)
- 32. Scugog Island (WMU 73)

#### MAP 4

- 33. Mountain (WMU 65)
- 34. Lake St. Lawrence (WMU 65)
- 35. Gananoque (WMU 67)
- 36. Camden Lake (WMU 68)
- 37. Point Petre (WMU 70)

Continuation of Map number 2 tables:

# **SMALL GAME OPEN SEASONS**

Wildlife Management Unit	Open Season		Possession Limit	Hours	
RABBITS AND HARES: I	European Hare, Cottontail	Rabbit, Varying (Sne	owshoe) Hare	Poss. Limit	
76, 77, 81, 82, 83, 84	Sep. 25-Feb. 28	6 of each		No Limit	
78, 79, 80, 87	Oct. 18-Feb. 28	6 of each		No Limit	
88, 89	Oct. 25-Feb. 28	6 of each		No Limit	
SQUIRREL: Gray, Black,	and Fox Squirrel Only				
76 to 84, 87 to 89	Sep. 25-Dec. 15	5		10	
WOLF, COYOTE, RACCO	ON, FOX see Fur-bearing	Animals (p. 8)			

As a responsible hunter, please co-operate in keeping the utility bills and power outages of all Ontario homes to a minimum, by reporting vandalism to electrical equipment and insulators on power lines, as soon as possible.

# DISTRICT OFFICES

#### NORTHWESTERN REGION

CHAPLEAU (WMU 31) 190 Cherry Street, P0M 1K0 (705) 864-1710 COCHRANE (WMUs 26,27) 2 Third Avenue, Box 730 P0L 1C0 (705) 272-4365 GOGAMA (WMU 29) GOGAMA (WMU 29)
Box 129 POM 1W0 (705) 894-2000
HEARST (WMUS 22,23)
631 Front Street, Box 670 POL 1N0 (705) 362-4346
KAPUSKASING (WMU 24)
8 Government Road PSN 2W4 (705) 335-6191
KIRKLAND LAKE (WMU 28)
Box 129, Swastika P DRYDEN (WMUs 5.8)
479 Government Road (Hwy 17), Box 730 P8N 2Z4 (807) 223-3341
FORT FRANCES (WMUs 9A.9B.10)
922 Scott Street P9A 1J4 (807) 274-5337 922 Scoft Street P9A 1J4 (8U/) 274-5537
IGNACE (WMU 15A)
Box 448 P0T 1T0 (807) 934-2233
KENORA (WMUs 6,7A,7B)
808 Robertson Street, Box 5080 P9N 3X9 (807) 468-9841
RED LAKE (WMUs 2,3)
Box 5003 P0V 2M0 (807) 727-2253
SIOUX LOXOKOUT (WMUs 1C,4164,16B)
Box 309 P0V 2T0 (807) 737-1140 HUDSON NORTHEASTERN REGION BLIND RIVER (WMU 37)
62 Queen Street, Box 190 POR 180 (705) 356-2234
ESPANOLA (WMUs 38,43A,43B,44)
148 Fleming Street, Box 1340 POP 1C0 (705) 869-1330
NORTH BAY (WMUs 41,47)
R. 3, 1-wy 63, Box 3070 P1B 8K7 (705) 474-5550
SAULT STE. MARIE (WMUs 35,36,45)
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SUDBURY (WMUs 39,42)
Box 3500, Station "A" P3A 4S2 (705) 522-7823
TEMGAMI (WMU 40)
Box 38 POH 2H0 (705) 569-3622
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